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In re Application of

Boris GOLDBERG, et al.

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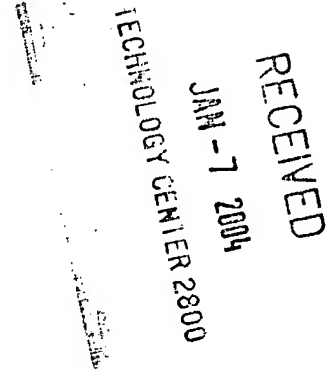
For: MULTI-BEAMS POLYGON SCANNING SYSTEM

: Response Under 37 CFR 1.116 - Expedited Procedure  
Customer Number: 20277

Confirmation Number: 4731

Group Art Unit: 2872

Examiner: Euncha P. Cherry



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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.  
☐ Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27  
☐ Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	33	33	0	\$18.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	4	4	0	\$86.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$0.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$0.00

- ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$0.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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Sir:

The following Remarks are submitted in response to the Final Office Action dated October 24, 2003.

Claims 1-33 are pending in the application.

In the Office Action, claims 1-3, 6, 7, 10-17, 19-25, 27-29 and 31-33 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being obvious over U.S. Patent 6,351,324 (Flint) in view of U.S. Patent 6,317,246 (Hayashi). Claims 8 and 9 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over Flint in view of Hayashi and further in view of U.S. Patent 5,043,744 (Fantuzzo). Claims 4, 5, 18, 26 and 30 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over Flint in view of Hayashi. These rejections are respectfully traversed.

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